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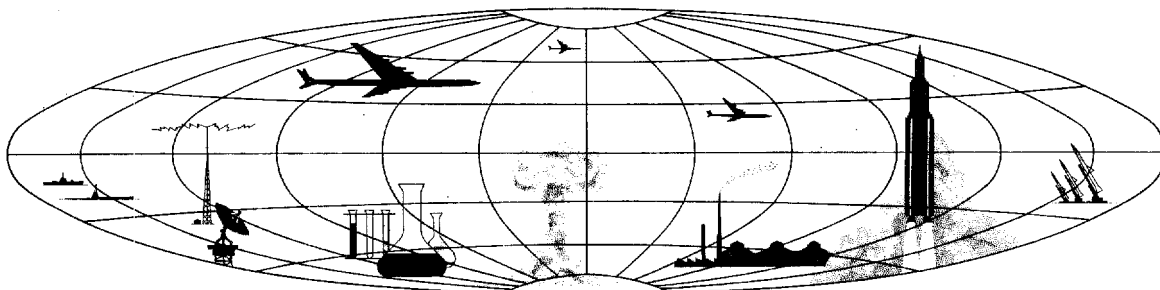


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IMMEDIATE PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION REPORT

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION REPRESENTS A PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS OF AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY FROM BRASS KNOB MISSION 3637, DATED 19 JUNE 1963. THE NUMBER APPEARING AT THE END OF THE HEADER LINE IS THE COMOR TARGET NUMBER.

-MISSILES-

25X1A

SANCTI SPIRITUS SAM SITE 2147N 07929W [REDACTED]

SITE CONTAINS 6 UNREVIEWED CANVAS-COVERED LAUNCHERS, 4 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS AND AN OCCUPIED GUIDANCE AREA.

25X1D [REDACTED]

25X1A

MANZANILLO SAM SITE 2018N 07706W [REDACTED]

SIX REVIEWED LAUNCHERS, 3 CANVAS-COVERED MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, 2 POSSIBLE MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, AND AN OCCUPIED GUIDANCE AREA OBSERVED.

25X1D [REDACTED]

25X1A

CHAMBAS SAM SITE 2213N 07853W [REDACTED]

SITE CONTAINS 6 UNREVIEWED LAUNCHERS, 6 CANVAS-COVERED MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, ONE MISSILE ON A DOLLY, AND AN OCCUPIED GUIDANCE AREA.

25X1D [REDACTED]

25X1A

-AIRFIELDS-

HOLGUIN AIRFIELD 2048N 07618W [REDACTED]

AIRCRAFT -- ONE FAGOT/FRESCO OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

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25X1D



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LOS CANOS AIRFIELD 2004N 07509W

AIRCRAFT -- ONE CAB.

25X1D



ANTONIO MACEO AIRFIELD 1958N 07550W

AIRCRAFT -- 4 LIAISON-TYPE.

25X1D



-PORTS-

MANZANILLO PORT 2021N 07707W

VESSELS -- ONE LARGE FREIGHTER ANCHORED OFFSHORE.

25X1D



SANTIAGO DE CUBA PORT 2001N 07550W

VESSELS -- 4 LARGE FREIGHTERS, 4 COASTAL FREIGHTERS,
AND 2 COASTAL TANKERS.
NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

25X1D



25X1A

LA ISABELA PORT 2256N 08001W

VESSELS -- 3 LARGE FREIGHTERS OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE
AREAS.

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-MILITARY ACTIVITY-

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GUANTANAMO AREA 1 2005N 07523W

NO NEW MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

25X1D

MANZANILLO AREA, MILITARY CAMP 2017N 07706W

APPROXIMATELY 35 VEHICLES OBSERVED.
OBLIQUITY PRECLUDES FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

25X1D

OFELIA, MILITARY CAMP 2006N 07530W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
FOUR PROBABLE TANKS/SP GUNS, 26 VEHICLES, AND
6 PROBABLE AAA PIECES OBSERVED.

25X1D

REMEDIOS AREA, MILITARY CAMP 2227N 07934W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS SINCE
INCOMPLETE COVERAGE DUE TO GAP IN PHOTOGRAPHY.

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ALTO CEDRO, MILITARY CAMP 2029N 07600W

NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE

25X1D

-MISCELLANEOUS ACTIVITY-

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MAYARI ARRIBA, MILITARY INSTALLATION 2027N 07531W

NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE
EXCEPT FOR A SMALL CONVOY OF 6 VEHICLES ENTERING THE

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MAIN CAMP FROM ONE OF THE WOODED AREAS.

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-STATUS OF OTHER TARGETS-

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS SHOW NO APPARENT CHANGE
SINCE LAST COVERAGE---

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REMEDIOS IRBM SITE	2225N 07935W
SANTIAGO DE CUBA SAM SITE	1959N 07550W
SANTIAGO DE CUBA SAM ASSEMBLY AREA	2003N 07553W
MALDONADO SAM SITE	2012N 07528W
PRESTON AIRFIELD	2044N 07539W
BAYAMO EAST AIRFIELD	2040N 07638W
PUNTA ALEGRE PORT	2223N 07847W
CAIBARIEN PORT	2232N 07928W
CIEGO DE AVILA, SAM ASSEMBLY AREA	2152N 07844W
EL CRISTO, MILITARY INSTALLATION	2007N 07546W
LAS MERCEDES, MILITARY CAMP	2006N 07700W
SIBONEY LANDING BEACH	1957N 07542W
PLAYA YATERITAS LANDING BEACH	1958N 07457W
MAR VERDE LANDING BEACH	1957N 07557W

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THE FOLLOWING TARGETS COULD BE IDENTIFIED BUT
NOT INTERPRETED --

SAGUA LA GRANDE MRBM SITE 1	2243N 08001W
CAIBARIEN SAM SITE	2228N 07929W
LOS ANGELES SAM SITE	2100N 07541W
JIGUANI SAM SITE	2021N 07620W
CIEGO DE AVILA SAM SITE	2142N 07850W
BANES CRUISE-MISSILE SITE	2058N 07538W
CAMILO CIENFUEGOS AIRFIELD	2229N 07955W

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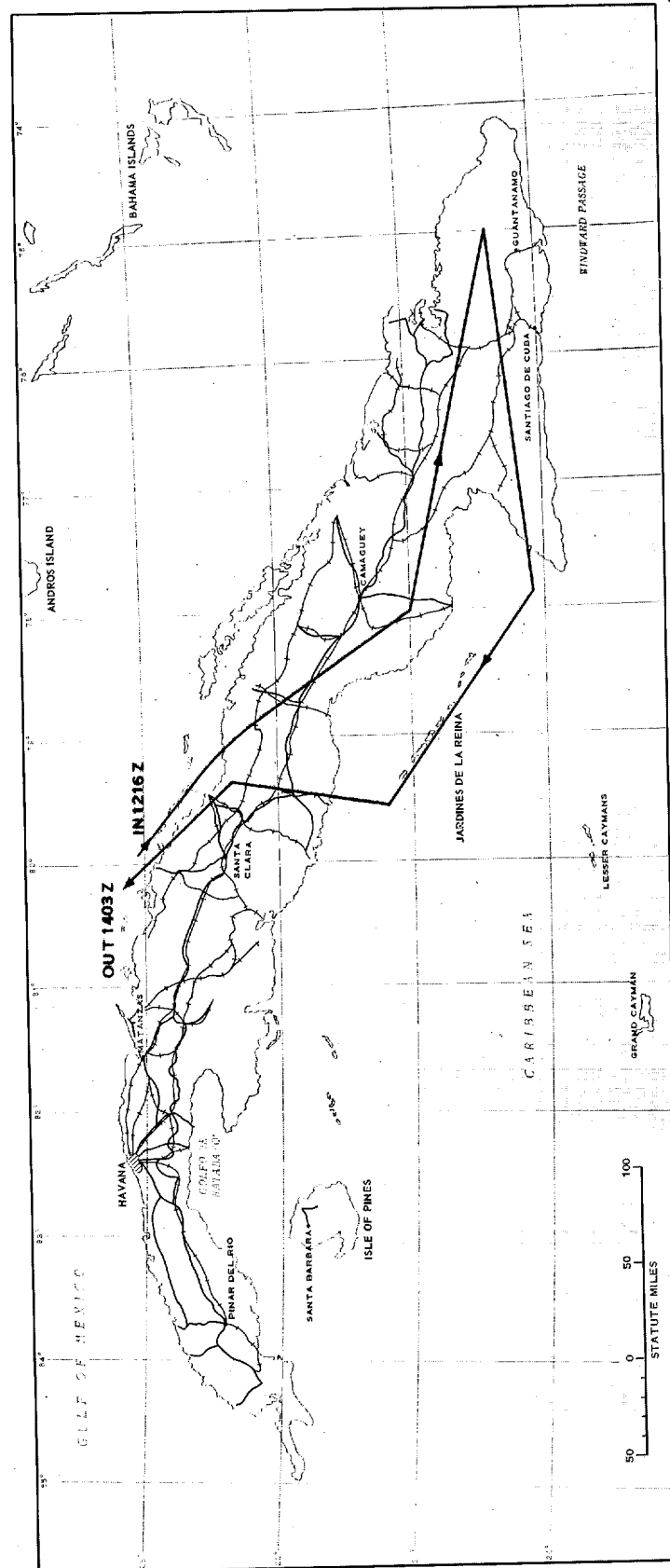
BANES PORT	2055N 07542W
JUCARO PORT	2137N 07851W
HOLGUIN AREA, MILITARY CAMP	2053N 07614W
EL JUCARO, MILITARY AREA	2051N 07543W
SANTA CLARA AREA, MILITARY ACTIVITY	2221N 07957W
VICTORIA DE LAS TUNAS, MILITARY CAMP	2054N 07655W
HOLGUIN AREA, MILITARY AREA	2051N 07617W
NICARO LANDING BEACH	2042N 07533W

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